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PROFILE

The Gap



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SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS

		2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - September quarter						
Unemployment	no.	-	-	416	324	294
Unemployment rate	%	-	-	3.9	3.2	3.0
LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCE - year ended 30 June						
Total Revenue	\$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Total Expenses	\$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Net Operating Balance (Revenue less Expenses)	\$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Total Assets	\$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Total Liabilities	\$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
GFS Net Worth (Assets less Liabilities)	\$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Net Debt (Financial Liabilities less Financial Assets)	\$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
SELECTED INCOME SUPPORT CUSTOMERS - at June						
Age pension	no.	-	-	793	820	-
Disability support pension	no.	-	-	213	206	-
Newstart allowance	no.	-	-	252	223	-
Parenting payment - single	no.	-	-	201	203	-
Youth allowance	no.	-	-	278	292	-
Other pensions and allowances	no.	-	-	275	323	-
Total selected income support customers	no.	-	-	2,012	2,068	-
Percentage of long-term Newstart allowance customers	%	-	-	47.9	49.0	-
AVERAGE INDIVIDUAL ANNUAL TAXABLE INCOME - year ended 30 June						
	\$	41,261	43,581	44,254	46,260	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary earners	no.	7,891	7,851	7,463	7,592	-
Wage and salary income	\$m	292.2	303.7	300.1	316.0	-
Total income	\$m	305.3	323.2	317.9	336.9	-
Average wage and salary income	\$	37,028	38,678	40,210	41,617	-
Average total income	\$	38,685	41,173	42,601	44,374	-

SOURCE OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June

Wage and salary	%	77.8	76.9	-	-	-
Own unincorporated business	%	6.6	6.8	-	-	-
Investment	%	7.8	8.2	-	-	-
Superannuation and annuity	%	2.7	2.9	-	-	-
Government cash benefit	%	4.1	4.2	-	-	-
Other income	%	1.1	1.1	-	-	-
Total income from all sources	\$m	390.0	418.0	-	-	-

LAND AREA

km2	-	-	-	-	12.2
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BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June

Private sector houses	no.	115	20	50	36	24
Total dwelling units	no.	115	20	50	36	24
Value of total residential building	\$m	18.2	5.7	13.7	11.9	12.4
Value of total non-residential building	\$m	0.1	2.7	2.8	8.7	1.4
Value of total building	\$m	18.3	8.5	16.5	20.7	13.8

NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES - year ended 30 June

Passenger vehicles	no.	-	-	320	358	391
Other vehicles	no.	-	-	179	185	203
Total vehicles	no.	-	-	499	543	594

VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION - year ended 30 June

Value of crops	\$m	-	0.0	-	-	-
Value of livestock slaughterings and other disposals	\$m	-	0.0	-	-	-
Value of livestock products	\$m	-	0.0	-	-	-
Total value of agricultural production	\$m	-	0.0	-	-	-

POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX- at 30 June

Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	447	464	446	458	482
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	565	599	582	567	560
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	703	687	664	699	713
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	707	718	739	725	710
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	517	521	542	519	528
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	500	474	434	432	407
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	482	513	485	499	501
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	451	491	518	525	550

Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	550	579	593	574	550
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	633	617	602	626	647
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	610	615	622	602	582
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	535	531	545	555	573
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	344	369	406	437	448
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	233	241	237	255	271
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	181	190	194	203	202
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	100	109	122	132	147
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	57	58	55	62	70
Males - 85 years and over	no.	18	19	23	23	27
Males - total	no.	7,633	7,795	7,809	7,893	7,968
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	436	439	417	446	459
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	512	508	524	522	532
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	635	632	623	622	577
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	702	690	695	644	638
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	488	511	533	541	536
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	490	441	435	399	372
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	499	517	496	492	477
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	601	600	608	612	611
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	711	700	710	704	715
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	685	699	699	708	690
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	709	721	697	675	655
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	495	505	575	596	597
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	353	363	372	392	427
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	235	250	251	267	281
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	173	184	183	188	198
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	130	135	140	147	154
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	61	77	95	103	101
Females - 85 years and over	no.	57	63	69	67	75
Females - total	no.	7,972	8,035	8,122	8,125	8,095
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	883	903	863	904	941
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	1,077	1,107	1,106	1,089	1,092
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	1,338	1,319	1,287	1,321	1,290
Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	1,409	1,408	1,434	1,369	1,348
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	1,005	1,032	1,075	1,060	1,064
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	990	915	869	831	779
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	981	1,030	981	991	978
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	1,052	1,091	1,126	1,137	1,161

Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	1,261	1,279	1,303	1,278	1,265
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	1,318	1,316	1,301	1,334	1,337
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	1,319	1,336	1,319	1,277	1,237
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	1,030	1,036	1,120	1,151	1,170
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	697	732	778	829	875
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	468	491	488	522	552
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	354	374	377	391	400
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	230	244	262	279	301
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	118	135	150	165	171
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	75	82	92	90	102
Persons - total	no.	15,605	15,830	15,931	16,018	16,063

INDIGENOUS POPULATION - PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION at 30 June

%	-	0.7	-	-	-
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OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION : PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2001

Total Born overseas	%	-	19.3	-	-	-
Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	3.2	-	-	-
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	9.1	-	-	-
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	1.6	-	-	-
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	0.2	-	-	-
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	1.0	-	-	-
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	0.7	-	-	-
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	0.4	-	-	-
Born in Americas	%	-	1.0	-	-	-
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	2.1	-	-	-

SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME : PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2001

%	-	5.6	-	-	-
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LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS : PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER - Census 2001

Postgraduate Degree	%	-	4.5	-	-	-
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	3.0	-	-	-
Bachelor Degree	%	-	18.8	-	-	-
Advanced Diploma and Diploma Certificate	%	-	9.3	-	-	-
Inadequately described or Not stated	%	-	13.5	-	-	-
Total with qualifications	%	-	6.7	-	-	-
	%	-	55.8	-	-	-

**OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS : PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL
EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2001**

Managers and Administrators	%	-	9.4	-	-	-
Professionals	%	-	30.8	-	-	-
Associate Professionals	%	-	13.1	-	-	-
Tradespersons and Related Workers	%	-	8.0	-	-	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	%	-	4.2	-	-	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	%	-	17.2	-	-	-
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	%	-	2.8	-	-	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	%	-	9.4	-	-	-
Labourers and Related Workers	%	-	3.5	-	-	-
Inadequately described or Not stated	%	-	1.6	-	-	-

HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2001

Lone person households	no.	-	719	-	-	-
Group households	no.	-	145	-	-	-
Family households	no.	-	4,435	-	-	-
Total households	no.	-	5,299	-	-	-

FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2001

Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	1,950	-	-	-
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	394	-	-	-
Couple families without children	no.	-	1,473	-	-	-
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	431	-	-	-
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	170	-	-	-
Other families	no.	-	52	-	-	-
Total families	no.	-	4,470	-	-	-

**PROPORTION OF POPULATION IN REMOTENESS AREA - Census
2001**

Major cities	%	-	99.6	-	-	-
Inner regional	%	-	0.4	-	-	-
Outer regional	%	-	0.0	-	-	-
Remote	%	-	0.0	-	-	-
Very remote	%	-	0.0	-	-	-

POPULATION DENSITY - at 30 June	persons/km2	-	-	-	-	1,309.8
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BIRTHS AND DEATHS

Births - year ended 31 December	no.	152	179	180	179	186
Crude birth rate	rate	9.7	11.3	11.2	11.1	11.5
Deaths - year ended 31 December	no.	55	53	38	63	48
Crude death rate	rate	3.5	3.3	2.3	3.9	2.9

GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS - at August

Schools	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Students	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.

NON-GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS - at August

Schools	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Students	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.

HOUSING SALES - Calendar year

Number of sales	no.	-	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Prices - median value	\$	-	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Prices - average value	\$	-	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.

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